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Stockholm, August 18.

THE King of Sweden came to Town last Monday from Carlsberg, when M. Pechlin, Minister of the late Duke of Holstein, had an Audience of his Majesty, and deliver'd his new Credentials from the present Duke; he had also Credentials to the Queen of Sweden, which he deliver'd to the King for her Majesty.

Copenhagen, Aug. 25, *N. S.* On the 23d Instant in the Evening, the Marquess d'Antin, with his Squadron consisting of four Men of War and a Frigate, came to an Anchor before this Place.

Copenhagen, Aug. 29. The French Squadron is still at Anchor before this Place, very near to the Town. They want nothing, unless it be Water, having been fully supplied with fresh Provisions by the Swedes at Carlshaven, from whence the Marquess d'Antin went by Land to Carlscroon, and saw the Swedish Fleet and Dock there. The Damage which the Fleuron received in passing from Stockholm to the Sea, is not so considerable as was apprehended at first; so that they have not thought fit to bring her either into the Swedish or Danish Dock, both which were offered if necessary.

Berlin, Aug. 28, *N. S.* On the 15th Instant between Ten and Eleven at Night, his Prussian Majesty arrived here in perfect good Health. The Prince Royal came on the 17th, as also all the Generals and Officers who had accompanied the King of Prussia in this Journey. As his Prussian Majesty came through Pomerania on his Return, he disposed of the late Feldt-Marshal Gromkow's Regiment in Favour of Colonel la Mothe. On the 21st his Majesty left this Place to go to Potzdam. The same Day Baron Brakel, the Russian Minister to this Court, arrived here from Vienna. His Prussian Majesty returned hither this Morning from Potzdam; and designs after a few Days to go to Wusterhausen, where he will spend the Hunting Season, as usual.

Whitehall, August 24, 1739.

It is His Majesty's Pleasure, That the Reduced Officers of His Majesty's Land Forces and Marines, who are now on the British Establishment of Half Pay, do forthwith transmit to His Majesty's Secretary at War, an Account of their respective Ages, and present Places of Abode; and they are farther to take Notice, that by His Majesty's Command, no Payment will be made after the Date hereof, on Account of any Half Pay now due or to become due to any of the Reduced Officers aforesaid, or to any Person whatsoever, by Virtue of any Letter of Attorney or Assignment from such Half Pay Officers until His Majesty's Commands herein be punctually obeyed.

By His Majesty's Command,

Will. Yonge.

Admiralty Office, August 1, 1739.

His Majesty having been graciously pleased, by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10th of June, 1733, to establish certain Rules and Orders for the better Government of the Charity for the Relief of poor Widows of Commission and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy: These are to give Notice to all such Widows whose Husbands died on or since the 30th of August 1732, that Copies of the said Rules and Orders are lodg'd with the Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy at Chatham, Portsmouth, and Plymouth; as also with the Clerks of the Cheque at Deptford, Woolwich, and Sheerness; and with the Naval Officers at Harwich, Deal, and Kinsale; where they may be informed of all Particulars which entitle them to the Benefit of the said Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Purpose. But such Widows as live at too great a Distance from the Places above-mentioned, may apply by Letter to Thomas Corbett, Esq; at the Admiralty Office, who will send them all necessary Information. And the Governors of the said Charity intending to distribute to the Widows of such Sea Officers who died before the 30th of August 1732, and whose Circumstances come within the Rules of the Establishment, their Share of the Bounty granted by Parliament; these are to give Notice of the same to all such Widows, that they may procure the proper Certificates and Affidavits, and send or bring them hither. And the Court of Assistants do hereby give Notice, that they will meet at this Office on Tuesday the 11th of September next, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning, to receive the Claims of such Widows as shall be qualified according to the said Rules and Orders.

Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich, the 30th of August, 1739.

Whereas by an Act of Parliament passed in the Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty, for the Application of the Rents and Profits of the Estates forfeited by the Attainder of James late Earl of Derwentwater, and Charles Radcliffe, it is enacted amongst other things, That the Commissioners or Governors of His Majesty's Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich, are to give six Months previous Notice in the London Gazette, of the Time and Place, when and where such Estates are intended to be Lett: Notice is therefore hereby given by Us the Commissioners of the said Hospital, that on Wednesday the 2d of April, 1740, at Salters Hall in London, will be Lett on Lease for 21 Years, or on Tack Note for one Year, the following open Lead Mines, or Veins of Lead Oar, viz. Couperhole-head, Goangill, Nentsberry Green